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SAINZ, Jorge R.

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Hon. Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action of June 24, 2004, this amendment is submitted.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

The claims are amended and the amendment to the claims appear on pages 2 through 4.

An amendment to the specification appears on page 5.

The remarks appear on page 6.